# TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



## FISCAL NOTE

### HB 1387 - SB 1203

February 15, 2023

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Expands the definition of nonprofit organization for purposes of the Tennessee Nonprofit Gaming Law to include a 501(c)(3) organization that is connected to a chamber of commerce and that has been active for at least 10 successive years in the county in which the foundation applies to hold an annual charitable gaming event.

#### **FISCAL IMPACT:**

Increase State Revenue -

\$300/FY23-24/Division of Charitable Solicitations and Gaming \$1,200/FY24-25 and Subsequent Years/ Division of Charitable Solicitations and Gaming

#### Assumptions:

- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 3-17-103, a nonprofit organization may apply with the Secretary of State (SOS) to operate an annual charitable gaming event.
- Nonprofit organizations must submit a nonrefundable fee along with their annual event application, pursuant to § 3-17-104, with such fees reverting to the Division of Charitable Solicitations and Gaming. These fees are based on gross revenue of the annual event.
- It is estimated that the organizations that apply for an annual charitable event under the expanded allowance of the proposed legislation will pay a fee of \$300.
- According to information provided by the SOS, it is estimated that one additional organization will apply in FY23-24 as a result of this legislation, and that four additional organizations will apply in FY24-25 and subsequent years, each paying a fee of \$300.
- Therefore, the increase in state revenue to the Division of Charitable Solicitations and Gaming will be \$300 in FY23-24, and \$1,200 (\$300 x 4) in FY24-25 and subsequent years.
- Any increase in state expenditures to process additional applications will be not significant.

# **CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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